

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Growing Old.

The tallest lilies droop at eventide,
The sweetest roses fall from off the stem;
The rarest things on earth cannot abide,
And we are passing, too, away like them;
We are growing old!

We had our dreams, those rosy dreams
Of youth!
They faded, and 'twas well. This after-
prime
Hath brought us fuller hopes; and yet,
forsooth,
We drop a tear now in this later time
To think we're old.

We smile at those poor fancies of the
past—
A saddened smile, almost akin to pain;
Those high desires, those purposes so
vain.
Ah, our poor hearts! They cannot come
again!
We are growing old!

Old! Well, the heavens are old; this
earth is, too;
Old wine is best, maturest fruit most
sweet;
Much have we lost, more gained, although
'tis true
We tread life's way with most uncer-
tain feet.
We are growing old!

We move along, and scatter as we pace
Soft graces, tender hopes on every
hand;
At last, with gray-streaked hair and hol-
low face,
We step across the boundary of the
land,
Where none are old.
—Atlanta Constitution.

The Kentucky Room.

The Confederate Museum, grows more
and more interesting each year and the
additions to it, strange to say, seem on
the increase, especially from the distant
States, that seem to realize the impor-
tance of placing their treasured relics
where they will be carefully guarded.
The Kentucky room has had some very
valuable additions recently, notably a
very fine oil painting of Major-General
William Preston. The painting is an ex-
ceedingly handsome life-size portrait and
is presented by the members of his
family.

An interesting and valuable collection
of Morgan relics has been donated by
Mrs. Basil Duke, the State regent, in-
cluding the following articles: General
Morgan's military coat, cap, sword, belt
and gaiters; a very handsome pair of
pistols, solid silver spurs and the identi-
cal pair of knives which he used in cut-
ting his way out of the Ohio peniten-
tiary, also a pair of spurs, belonging to
Francis Kentucky Morgan.

Mrs. Susan W. Warner, of Louisville,
has sent framed, a piece of the last Con-
federate newspaper, published in Vicks-
burg, which is printed on wallpaper.
Mr. James O. Clevonith, of Harrods-
burg, Ky., has sent a beautiful photo-
graph of the Confederate monument in
that place.

Mrs. S. B. Buckner has sent as a loan,
an interesting collection of General Buck-
ner's dress and field coat, military
cap and sash, a quilt tobacco bag and
pincushion.

Mrs. Lydia Taylor Crane, of Sewickley,
Pa., has donated a carriage box which
belonged to General Morgan.
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gray, of this city,
have given the Kentucky room a quaint
little desk, in the quartermaster's
department, which has posted in it the
calendar for 1864, also a valuable lot of
passports used by Mr. Gray during the
war.

Alumnae Hostesses.

The Alumnae Association of the Wo-
man's College has issued dainty little
"at home" cards for Saturday afternoon
from 4 to 6 o'clock in the college par-
lors, the members of the Woman's Col-
lege graduating class to be the guests
of honor.

Fruit punch will be served from the
reading room and Miss Elizabeth Wil-
lingham will preside. She will be as-
sisted in serving by Miss Edith McCarthy,
Miss Elise Hodgson, Miss Katherine
Hart, Miss Gertrude Clarke, Miss Emma
Clarke, Miss Madge Montgomery and
Miss Rosa Smith.

The parlors will be decorated in jonquils
and carnations and the college flags will
be conspicuously placed. The class colors
in cream and green will be carried out
in many of the appointments.

The Reception Committee and those re-
ceiving will include Miss Elizabeth Wil-
lingham, Miss Edith McCarthy, Miss
Madge Bowie, Miss Martin Terrell, Miss
Mary Taylor, Mrs. George Epps, Mrs.
W. W. Davis, Mrs. Sanford and Mrs. C.
E. Garnett.

Several vocal and piano numbers will
be rendered by the following: Miss Belle
Willingham, Miss C. T. Brengle and Miss
Bessie Wilson, vocalists; Miss Mary Pitts
and Miss Evelyn Martin, pianists; Miss
Virginia Pettit and Miss Daisy Wilson.

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hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every
day for refreshment of your inner-life with a bit of poetry.—Prof.
Charles Eliot Norton.

No. 774.

THE NOSE AND THE EYES.

By COWPER.

Other selections from Cowper, his portrait, autograph and biographical sketch, have
already been printed in this series.

BETWEEN Nose and Eyes a strange contest arose;
The spectacles set them, unhappily, wrong;
The point in dispute was, as all the world knows,
To whom the said spectacles ought to belong.

So Tongue was the lawyer, and argued the cause,
With a great deal of skill and a wig full of learning.
While chief baron Ear sat to balance the laws—
So famed for his talent in nicely discerning.

"In behalf of the Nose, it will quickly appear
(And your lordship," he said, "will undoubtedly find)
That the Nose has the spectacles always to wear.
Which amounts to possession, time out of mind."

Then, holding the spectacles up to the court,
"Your lordship observes, they are made with a straddle,
As wide as the ridge of the nose is; in short,
Designed to sit close to it, just like a saddle."

"Again, would your lordship a moment suppose
(Tis a case that has happened, and may happen again)
That the visage or countenance had not a Nose,
Pray, who would, or who could, wear spectacles then?"

"On the whole, it appears, and my argument shows,
With a reasoning the court will never condemn,
That the spectacles, plainly, were made for the Nose,
And the Nose was as plainly, intended for them."

Then shifting his side (as a lawyer knows how),
He pleaded again in behalf of the Eyes;
But what were his arguments, few people know.
For the court did not think them equally wise.

So his lordship decreed, with a grave, solemn tone,
Decisive and clear, without one if or but,
That whenever the Nose put his spectacles on,
By daylight or candlelight—Eyes should be shut.

This series began in The Times-Dispatch Sunday, Oct. 11, 1903. One is published each day.

dramatic readers; Miss Evelyn Martin
and Miss Nora Willis, accompanists.

MARRIAGES.

Miller—Phillips.

Miss Clara A. Phillips, of Hanley, Kan-
nawha county, W. Va., was married to
Mr. Richard A. Miller, from near Rich-
mond, Va., in the home of the bride's
mother, at Tardley, on Wednesday,
March 14th, the Rev. John K. Hittner
officiating.

Wallace—Rowe.

The Newport News Times-Herald of
Thursday has the following account of
the marriage of a Richmond man. The
Times-Herald says:
Miss Della Rowe, of Mineville, and
Mr. J. R. Wallace, of Richmond, will be
married in this city to-day. Miss Rowe
is now visiting in Portsmouth. They
will make their home with Mr. and
Mrs. E. R. Wallace, No. 321 Twenty-eighth
Street. Mr. Wallace came here from
Richmond about six months ago.

Class Day Finale.

The law class at the University of
Virginia has inaugurated a movement to
hold a class day reunion at the finals
next June, and to perfect a close organi-
zation of the alumni of the law depart-
ment. The present organization of the
class is to be made permanent.

The board of directors includes Pro-
fessor Raleigh C. Minor and Messrs.
Thomas Bryan, of Richmond; M. Carter
Hall, of Fredericksburg, Va.; and Rob-
ert S. Graham, of Tazewell, Va. The
resident secretary is Mr. Harmon A.
Dimwille, of Charlottesville.

A committee was appointed to draw
up a programme for the class day exer-
cises. This committee consists of Messrs.
W. W. Grant, of Colorado; B. H. Stone,
of Arkansas; Howard Tate, of Georgia;
E. M. Daniel, of Lynchburg, Va.; and
Thomas H. Gay, of Richmond, Va. Mr.
Grant is chairman of the committee.

It has also been decided to issue a
class book, and Messrs. Harmon, Dimwille,
and George Padlock were put in
charge of this work.

The importance of this movement to
bring closer together the alumni and
the University can hardly be exaggerated.
If the "class idea" is followed by subse-
quent classes, an immense benefit, both

and material, will result to the Uni-
versity.

Chapter Election.

At a meeting of the West Point Chap-
ter, Daughters of the Confederacy, held
at the home of Mrs. Thomas H. Edwards
on Monday last, the following officers
were elected:

Mrs. M. Corr, president; Mrs. W. R.
Broadus, first vice-president; Mrs. J.
W. Owens, second vice-president; Mrs.
M. Pileher, third vice-president; Mrs.
R. J. Palmer, recording secretary; Mrs.
A. Robinson, corresponding secretary;
Mrs. H. I. Lewis, treasurer; Mrs. T. H.
Edwards and Mrs. M. P. Muller, histori-
ans; Mrs. W. S. Eastwood, chairman
on credentials; Miss Maria Hargrave,
registrar.

Charming Entertainment.

Misses D. A. and Amelia Broughton, of
Norfolk, entertained their friends at a
"beau party" last Monday evening. The
guests of honor were Mrs. and Mrs.
Paul Danneberg, of Arkansas.

Other guests were Miss Maria Cottrell,
and Mr. Joseph L. Cottrell, of
Richmond; Mrs. and Mrs. S. L. Jarvis
and Mrs. C. B. Burdard, Mr. and
Mrs. R. S. Broughton, Mr. and Mrs.
O. B. Taylor, Mrs. A. B. Goodridge,
Miss Lucille Jarvis, Mr. A. B. Broughton,
Jr., and Mr. John Gray.

Episcopal Booth.

Mrs. Beverly Crump wishes all the
children and alternates of the Episcopal
booth at the Floral Carnival and all
ladies interested in that table to meet
her at noon to-day (Saturday) in the
assembly room of the Woman's Chris-
tian Association building.

Personal Mention.

Miss Celeste Luck, of No. 128 Powhatan
Street, Manchester, who had her hand
so badly cut, is doing well.

Mrs. Archie Arnett has returned to her
home in Mineral, Va., accompanied by
her mother, Mrs. Price.

Miss Catherine Sisson, who brought her
little brother here for medical treatment,
has returned to her home in Bedford
City, Va.

Mrs. T. H. Edwards, of West Point,
Va., visited in the city this week.
Mr. Henry Cocklin spent a part of his
week with his parents at Milford, Va.
Mrs. W. A. Van has returned to her

home in Keyesville after a visit to friends
here.

Mr. Carroll Howell, who is studying
medicine in this city, has gone to his
home in Franklin, Va., on account of
illness.

Mr. John Ely is the guest of his sister,
Mrs. W. H. Matthews, in Brambleton.

Miss Lizzie Carrington has returned to
her home at Hampton-Sidney, after a
visit to Richmond.

Miss Natalie Garrett, of King William
county, is visiting friends here.

Mr. T. B. Mills, of Orange, Va., is
visiting his brother here.

Miss Mamie Ingram, of South Boston,
Va., spent several days in Richmond last
week.

Mrs. Morgan Treat visited friends in
West Point this week.

Mr. John Marshall, of Falling River,
Va., is in the city.

Mrs. McFarland, of this city, is the
guest of Mrs. F. C. Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fairfax have re-
turned to their home, "Oak Hill," in
Washington county, after a visit to Rich-
mond.

Mr. James Vase is the guest of his sister,
Mrs. Hugh Hamilton, in Warrenton,
Va.

Mr. G. R. Dorsey, of Caroline county,
was in the city this week on business.

The Confederate veterans of Bowling
Green, have closed the contracts for their
confederate monument with Mr. J. H.
Brown, of this city. The date for the
unveiling has been fixed for Wednesday,
August 1st, of this year.

Mrs. William Ware and Miss Ellen
Bray, of King William county, made a
visit to Richmond this week.

Mrs. W. W. Jackson, of Farmville, was a
recent visitor to the city.

The Rev. J. E. Hicks, of Danville, is
in the city to attend the meeting of the
Baptist Education Commission, which
took place Thursday.

Mr. Ellison, of this city, recently visited
Mr. Beverly R. Harrison, in Amherst, Va.

Dr. W. K. Gatewood, of West Point,
spent a few days here this week.

Mr. William Dowdy, of Vinton, Va.,
has accepted a position in this city and
will make his home here.

The Dramatic Club, of Bowling Green,
Va., is planning for a benefit performance
in April, for the Daughters of the
Confederacy monument fund.

Mrs. W. L. Kent, of Curlew, Va., ex-
pects to come to Richmond soon for the
purpose of having her eyes treated.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey E. Strode and Dr.
H. Donald Scott have been visiting
in the city, have returned to their
home in Amherst, Va.

Mr. Joseph Baker, of Caroline county,
expects to make Richmond his home in
the near future.

The Rev. J. T. Mastin, of the Metho-
dist Orphanage here, will go to Salem,
Center Point and Bedford City to-mor-
row.

Mrs. James Talley, of Unionville, Va.,
is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. M. N. Bradley has returned to her
home in Staunton, after a visit to friends
here.

Miss L. A. Luford is visiting friends
in King William county.

Mr. Charles Coleman, of Vidlersville,
Va., has come to this city to engage in
business.

Mrs. J. N. Walker, of Brian, Va., was
in the city this week on business.

Miss Lavelette Payne, of Orange, Va.,
is expected here in a few days to visit
friends.

Miss Margaret Love, who has been in
Bedford City some time, has returned
to Richmond.

Mrs. O. C. Luford is the guest of her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Terry, of
Staunton.

Miss Rosa Roy has been visiting her
sister, Mrs. Harry Dudley, near Dudley,
Va.

Mrs. J. R. Burton, of Little Plymouth,
Va., is undergoing medical treatment here.

Mrs. Ethel Marshall and little son of
Curlew, Va., are expected soon to be
the guests of relatives in this city.

Miss Lucy Woolfolk, of Caroline coun-
ty, is the guest of friends here.

Mrs. Marmaduke Lacy, of near Belle
View, Va., has come to the city to go
into business.

Mrs. Mary Vance Clary Palmer, whose
marriage to Mr. Charles Edward Palmer,
of Slough City, Ia., took place in Harri-
sonburg on February first, is sailing
along the Mediterranean Sea on the
Vulcan Star liner "Arabia." She has just
completed a delightful stay in the island
of Madeira, and writes enthusiastically
of her interesting journeyings.

Mr. R. L. Pendleton, of Curlew, Va.,
is in the city for medical treatment.

Miss Bessie Ryley has returned to
Newport News, after a visit to friends
here.

Miss Myrtle Wolfe, of Richmond, who
has been visiting her father in Char-
lottesville, was suddenly called to New
York Thursday, to be with her brother,
who is very ill.

Miss Carletta Tompkins, who has been
visiting her sister, Mrs. Samuel Tomp-
kins, in this city, has returned to her
home at "Locust Grove," near Scotts-
ville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roberts, who were
married in Newport News on Wednes-
day, March 14th, are spending a part of
their honeymoon in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Whitworth, and
Miss Nellie Copenhaver, of Marion,
Synth county, Va., are in the city for a
month's visit.

Mr. W. G. Woodward has returned
to Staunton, after a visit to his brother
in this city.

Mrs. George C. Cunningham, of Port-
smouth, has been elected to represent the
Martha Washington Rebekah Lodge at
the grand assembly, which will meet in
Richmond in May.

A GREAT REVIVAL
OPENS TO-MORROW

Dr. Riley, of Minneapolis, to
Come to First Baptist—Fine
Singing.

DR. J. C. GOODRICH TO BE HERE

Other Visiting Ministers—Several
Revivals—Themes of the Vari-
ous Preachers.

To-morrow marks the opening of a
great series of evangelistic services, to
be held at the First Baptist Church,
corner of Twelfth and Broad Streets, the
Rev. Dr. W. B. Riley, of Minneapolis,
Minn., being the preacher. Mr. M. C.
Martin, also of Minneapolis, who is to
lead the music during the meetings, ar-
rives to-day. He wishes to meet all who
are willing to help in the singing at 8
o'clock this evening at the church. At
that time a large chorus choir will be
organized and drilled.

Dr. Riley will arrive Tuesday, and in
the meantime Pastor McDonald will con-
duct the services at 4 P. M. and 8 P. M.
daily.

On Sunday evening the meeting will be
in charge of the delegates to the Student
Volunteer Movement Convention, recently
held at Nashville, Tenn.

Student representatives from Richmond
College, the Union Theological Seminary,
University College of Medicine and Medi-
cal College of Virginia, will be among the
speakers.

The meetings will continue for two
weeks or more. Dr. Riley and Mr. Mar-
tin have been exceedingly successful
wherever they have been and have re-
cently declined several invitations from
Kentucky, Tennessee and other States.
After the revival here, Dr. Riley will
return to his church in Minneapolis.

At Clay Street Methodist Church to-
morrow the pastor, Rev. T. McN. Simp-
son, will preach at 11 A. M. on "The Holy
Sabbath." Rev. J. C. Goodrich, D. D.,
representative of the American Bible So-
ciety, will preach at 8 o'clock to-mor-
row night on "The Love of God."

A rare and instructive treat is in store for
all who can hear this gifted speaker and
experienced missionary.

The Rev. R. D. Gaw, pastor, will
preach at both services to-morrow. "A
Blessed Handwriting" will be the sub-
ject of the morning's discourse. Strangers
cordially welcomed.

There will be services at St. James
Methodist Church Sunday at 11 A. M. and
8 P. M. The pastor, Rev. W. A. Cooper,
will preach at the morning hour on "The
First Great Care of the Christian." At
8 o'clock on "The Love of Popularity."

The night sermon is the second of the
series on "The Underlying Motives of
Life." Young people are specially invited
to the evening service.

At Randolph Street Baptist Church
Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. W. E.
Robertson, will preach the seventh ser-
mon of the series on "The Lord's Prayer."
Several seasons will be obtained at
night. Rev. Dr. R. W. Criffin will preach
the sermon and assist the pastor in the
ordination. The "Willing Helpers" will
meet at 8 o'clock in the afternoon.

At the Grace Street Baptist Church, the
pastor, Dr. Gardner, will preach morning
and evening. His themes will be "A Life
of Service" and "Perishing with Hun-
ger."

At Hope Memorial Presbyterian, the
pastor, Rev. Charles H. Pratt, will
preach in the morning. In the evening
Mr. A. R. McQueen, of the Seminary,
will conduct the services.

The pastor, Rev. L. B. Betty, will
preach at Park Place Methodist Church
at 11 A. M. on "Divine Command With
Respect to the Sabbath," and at 8 P. M.
on the "Divine Revelation With Respect
to the Name and Character of God."

Rev. William L. Ball, pastor, will
preach at West View at both services.
At the evening service his subject will be
"Echoes of the Torrey-Alexander Mis-
sion in Philadelphia." The choir will
sing some of the new hymns used by Mr.
Alexander in the mission.

Rev. J. J. Haley, the pastor of Seventh
Street Christian Church, who has been
in Florida for the past three weeks, has
returned to the city, and will conduct
the services on Sunday, both morning
and evening. His subject for the morn-
ing service will be "The Clock of Salva-
tion," and for the evening service, "The
New Christology."

At the Immanuel Baptist Church, the
pastor, Rev. E. W. Stone, will speak at
both morning and evening services. His
subjects will be "A Sympathetic Savior,"
and "A Statesman's Queer Choice." Rev.
R. D. Haymore, of Mt. Airy, N. C., will
begin his church a revival meeting
on March 25th.

Rev. S. S. Thomas, of Lynchburg, Va.,
will preach to-morrow morning and night
in West End Christian Church on Morris
Street, between Main and Floyd Avenue.

At the Union Station Methodist Church
Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. C.
Goodrich will preach. At 8 o'clock in
the evening, the pastor, Rev. R. M.
Maxey, will give the second sermon of
his series on "American Ideals." The
subject will be "The Citizen Sovereign."

"Judaism" will be the subject of Dr.
Young's sermon at night at Centenary
Church. This is the fifth sermon of the
series on "The Great Religions of the
World." Dr. Wilson will preach in the
evening.

Services at the First Unitarian Church